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The Honorable Robert Cutler
Special Assistant to the President
for National Security Affairs
Washington, D. C.

Dear Bobby:

General Cabell, Matt Baird and many others have told me about the splendid contribution you made to our recent Orientation Course. I am grateful to you for taking the time to participate in our training activity.

We believe your address would be of current interest to many of our overseas personnel and, with your approval, would like to distribute copies to the field. They will be encouraged to know that their individual and collective work is not only appreciated, but is very necessary for policy makers. I understand that you don't want to be bothered with reviewing the text, but send you for your files a copy as it is being distributed. We have cut out any references we felt should not be distributed.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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We believe your address would be of vital interest to many of our overseas personnel and, with your approval, would like to distribute copies to the field. ~~It is certain that your efforts will lend a sense of confidence to everybody in intelligence with the firsthand knowledge from you that their individual and collective work is not only appreciated, but is very necessary for persons in the policy field.~~

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